

REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested.

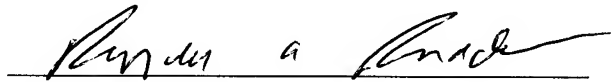
Claims 22, 23, and 26-43 are presently active.

In the outstanding Ex Parte Quayle Action, the application was indicated as being allowable except for a formal matter regarding Figure 6 in the specification. Accordingly, the specification has been amended to provide a description of Figure 6.

Therefore, no further issues remain outstanding in this case. The present application is believed to be in condition for formal allowance. An early favorable action to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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